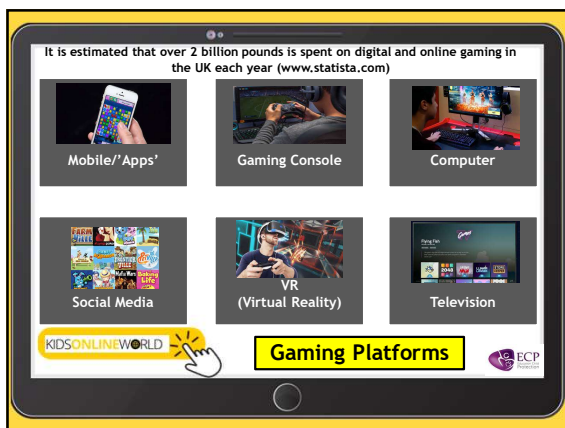


- What are the risks of children viewing pornography?**
- Unrealistic view of sex, relationships & appropriate behaviour.
 - Negative expectations about roles and identities.
 - Casual attitudes about sex and sexual relationships and an increase in 'risky' sexual behaviour.
 - Unrealistic expectations of body image and performance.



New Features:

- o Discord integration: Connect to Discord and easily share your lobby room code or join existing lobbies!
- o Twitch streaming integration to start streaming straight from Among Us!

How do you play?

Local - join games with people nearby, this is done using the players location.

Online - gives the option of 'Host', 'Public' or 'Private'.

Host - allows users to host a game themselves.

Public - allows users to join in games with random players.

Private - is where you join a game with known friends using a code. There is also in-game 'quick chat', allowing you to select automated responses.

www.peginfo

Fun/ Entertainment/ Relax

Escapism

Social Interaction

FOMO (Fear Of Missing Out)

Challenge/ Compete

Groom/ Exploit

Addiction/ Disorder

Why do young people game?

Gaming considerations...

VIOLENCE **BAD LANGUAGE** **FEAR** **GAMBLING**

DISCRIMINATION **DRUGS** **SEX**

86% of British parents & carers ignore the age ratings on games, compared to 23% on films.

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LOOT BOXES

In computer games, A **Loot Box** is a *virtual item*...

...which can be redeemed to receive *virtual items* within the *game being played*...

...ranging from **clothes** (or skins) for player's character - to equipment - such as **weapons and armour**

Gambling & Gaming...

Card packs featuring a **random** selection of players are available for purchase

Players can purchase FIFA Points using **real-world currency** and use them towards card packs

Within the pack could be...
...some of the world's **best footballers**,
...or some of the **worst**... **it's a gamble**

Gambling & Gaming...

'Whistle to Whistle' is a ban which means that **no gambling adverts** are shown prior to 9pm. However this does not apply to **gaming**.

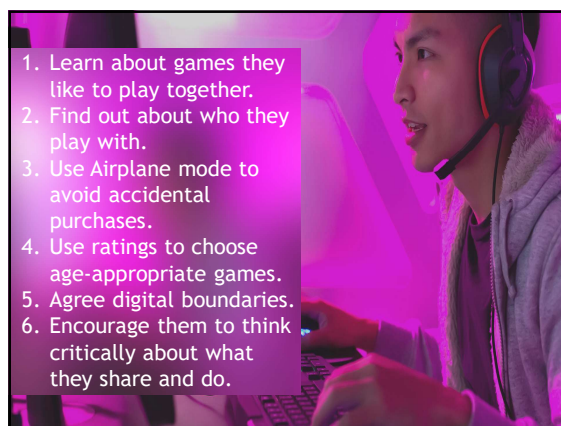
Advertising is one of the biggest influences over children and young people gambling.

Gaming Addiction/Disorder

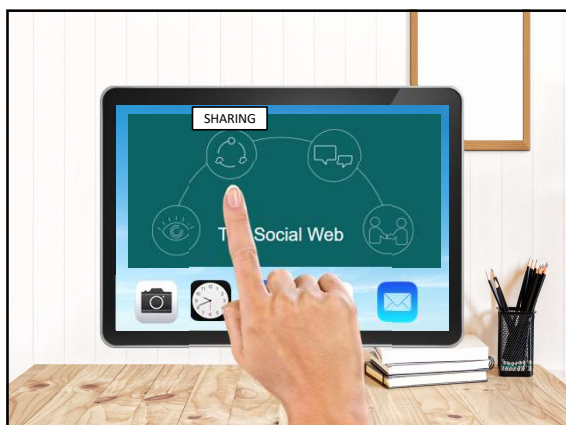
www.uk-rehab.com

<p>Initial Exposure</p> <p>An individual's early experiences with gaming, during which enjoyment of and perhaps a fascination with such games may develop very quickly</p>	<p>Deeper Interest</p> <p>Gaming begins to take up a position of greater significance in the individual's life, perhaps requiring growing investment in hardware, software and time. Other activities may begin to take on a diminished significance in consequence.</p>
<p>Growing Obsession</p> <p>Gaming begins to take up a central role in the individual's life, with their thoughts becoming increasingly solely directed towards gaming and other activities and, now, relationships becoming increasingly neglected as the great majority of the individual's free time is now taken up with gaming</p>	<p>Full-blown Addiction</p> <p>Gaming becomes the individual's dominant or even sole interest. All their free time is taken up with gaming, and all their energies are focused upon it, possibly at the cost of work or academic progress. Dietary and sleeping patterns are likely to be hugely affected by constant gaming, and the gamer may find themselves entirely dislocated from friends, family and the real world</p>


World Health Organization



1. Learn about games they like to play together.
2. Find out about who they play with.
3. Use Airplane mode to avoid accidental purchases.
4. Use ratings to choose age-appropriate games.
5. Agree digital boundaries.
6. Encourage them to think critically about what they share and do.




Who are they sharing it with?
What are they sharing?

Live Streaming

Before 'live streaming' we need to consider...

Many social media apps support 'live streaming' which is a popular way to communicate with friends and may include participating in 'challenges' or tasks which may help raise awareness of particular social issues or promote positivity

What personal information is being shared in the background including details about them or their location

Assess risk and what could go wrong, prior to starting the 'live stream' - there is no opportunity to edit a 'live stream' and so consider the impact this could have

If 'live streaming' risk taking or criminal behaviour, this could have consequences that may last for long period of time

However, the NSPCC has revealed that they believe over 200,000 children in the UK are at risk of grooming on 'live streaming platforms'

It is difficult to control who views the content or who might be recording the stream

REC

Personal Information


Name


Age





Address


School

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Children may share their location...



Have 'location sharing' turned on in their privacy settings.

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Why do children send nudes and semi-nudes?

A joining in because they think that 'everyone is doing it'

B boosting their self-esteem

C to get attention and connect with new people on social media

D they may find it difficult to say 'no' if the person asking is persistent



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Blackmail, bullying and harm



Blackmail
An offender may threaten to share the picture with the child's family and friends unless the child sends money or more images.

Bullying
If images are shared with their peers or in schools, the child may be bullied.

Nudes and semi-nudes
Nudes and semi-nudes can leave young people vulnerable to...

Emotional distress
Children can feel embarrassed and humiliated. If they're very depressed they could need to isolate or self-harm.

Unwanted attention
Images posted online can attract the attention of sex offenders, who know how to search for, collect & identify people.

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'Sexting' & The Law

Protection of Children Act 1978
Makes it an offence to take, make, show, distribute, possess (with a view to distribute) or publish an advertisement with an indecent photograph or pseudo-photograph of a child under the age of 18

Criminal Justice Act 1988 - part XI
Makes it an offence to possess Indecent Images of children

Criminal Justice and Courts Act 2015 - section 33
Makes it an offence to share private sexual photographs or films with the intent to cause distress

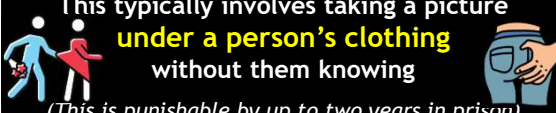
Sexual Offences Act 2003
Lists sexual offences and their definitions. If an image being shared is of a sexual act, police must find out whether a sexual offence has been committed and act accordingly

The Police are not looking to prosecute children but all children must be aware that even sharing an image of themselves is a criminal offence

Sexual Harassment - 'Upskirting'

Voyeurism (Offences) Act 2019

This typically involves taking a picture **under a person's clothing** without them knowing
(This is punishable by up to two years in prison)



The intention of the perpetrator is to take a photograph or video, to view the victims genitals or buttocks in order to:

- Obtain sexual gratification
- Cause the victim humiliation, distress or alarm


Images may then be shared online

Revenge Porn

Revenge porn is the distribution of sexually explicit images or videos of individuals without their consent.

When a relationship deteriorates and the break up is not an amicable one, some individuals may choose to use any explicit images that they have of their ex-partner against them as a means of "revenge" against the person who sent them.

Cases usually involved teenagers and adults but there have been cases involving children as young as 11.



HOW TO GET YOUR IMAGE REMOVED

childline
ONLINE, ON THE PHONE, ANYTIME
childline.org.uk | 0800 1111

If you're under 18 and a nude image or video of you has been shared online, you can report it and to be removed from the internet. You'll need to:

- Select your age and follow the steps below.
- Create a Childline account so we can send you updates on your report.
- Report your image or video to the Internet Watch Foundation (IWF).

REPORT REMOVE

Nude image of you online? We can help take it down.

New tool for under-18s to report nude photos of themselves online...

IWF
Internet Watch Foundation

Source: <https://www.childline.org.uk/info-advice/bullying-abuse-safety/online-mobile-safety/remove-nude-image-shared-online/?ageRangeParameter=Over17¤tStep=FinalContent/over17>

What counts as a nude image?

Sexual activity that includes animals.

Someone nude or semi-nude touching themselves in a sexual way.

Any sexual activity involving a child.

Someone hurting someone else sexually.

Nude or semi-nude sexual posing

Advice to children

LOSING CONTROL

Once you send a message you can't control what happens to it. Don't let someone guilt or pressure you into sending it

IWF

If an indecent or nude pic of you is posted online, you can contact the website directly or make a report online to try and get it removed.

IWF

If you've sent a nude pic, have an honest conversation with the person you sent it to. Ask them to delete it

WHAT CAN PARENTS AND CARERS DO?

TALK

TALK to your child about online sexual abuse. Start the conversation – and listen to their concerns.

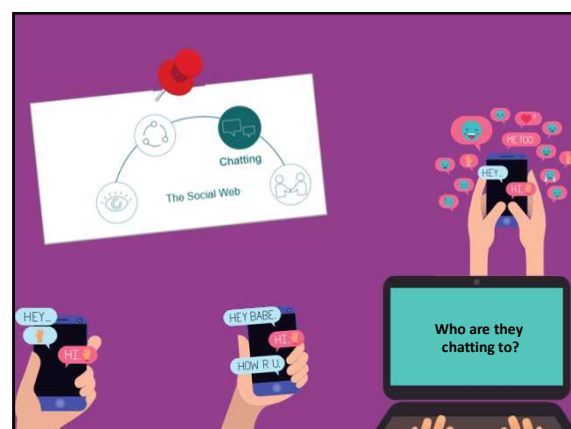
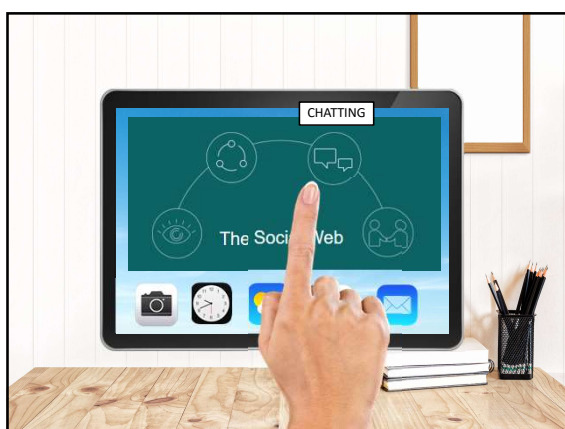
AGREE ground rules about the way you use technology as a family.

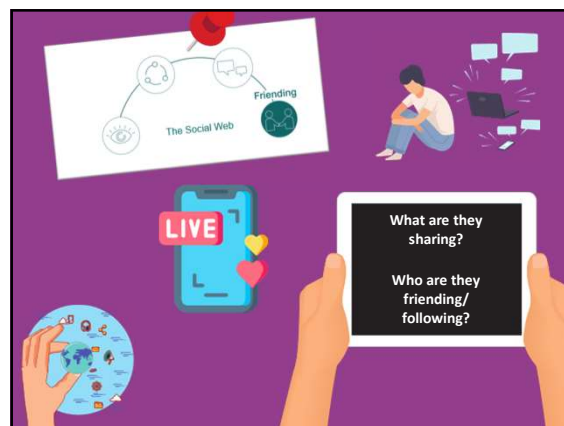
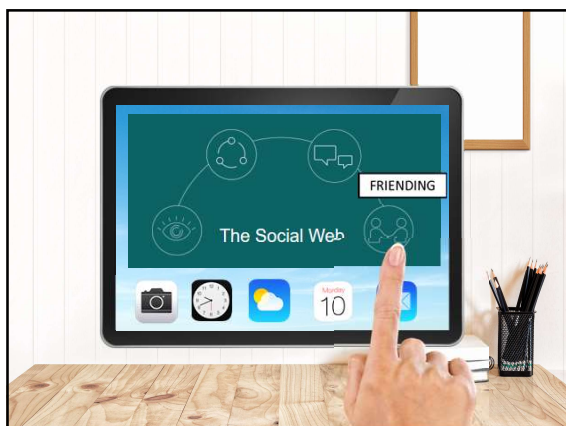
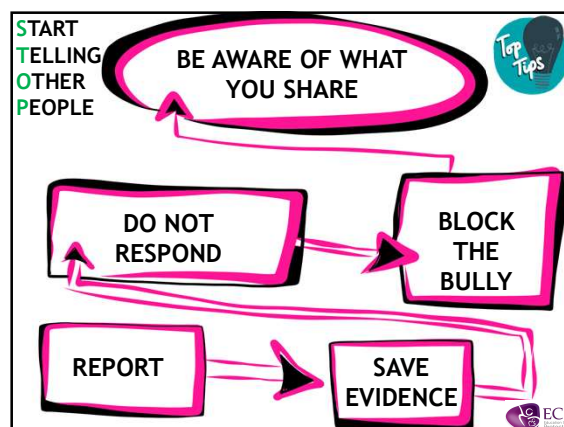
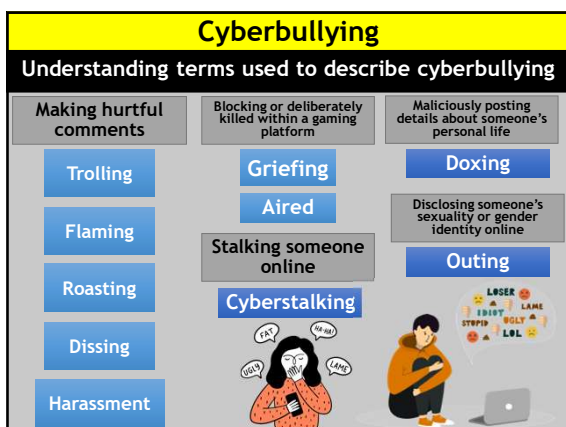
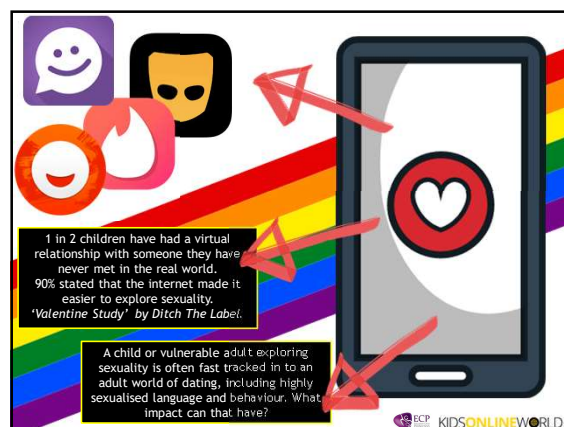
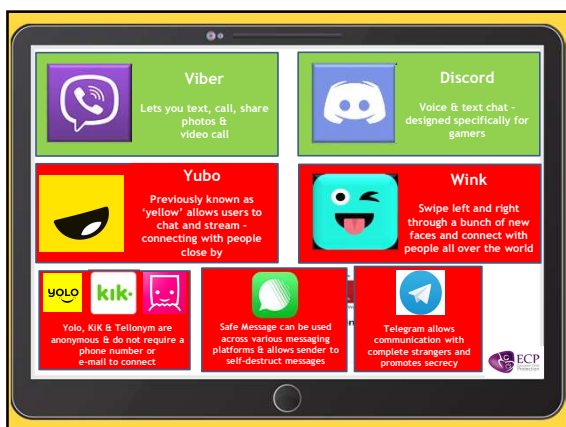
LEARN about the platforms and apps your child loves. Take an interest in their online life.

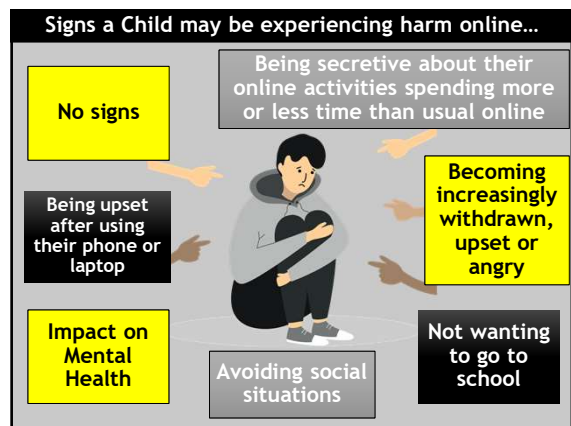
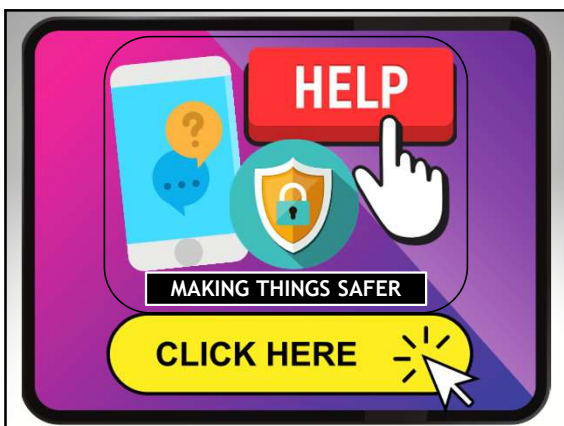
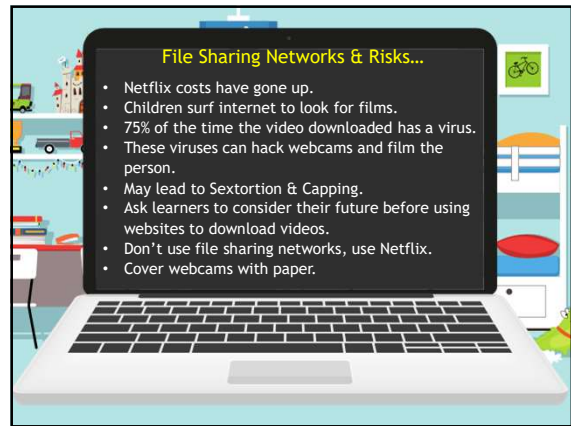
KNOW how to use tools, apps and settings that can help to keep your child safe online.

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Speaking to your child about the concern...

- Stay calm
- Reassure
- Assess risk
- Report & refer
- Access support



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Reporting mechanism for CHILDREN...

CEOP A National Crime Agency command
www.ceop.police.uk

THINK U KNOW
www.thinkuknow.co.uk

Child Exploitation and Online Protection Command

REPORT ABUSE

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Welcome to Thinkuknow

Thinkuknow is the education programme from NCA-CEOP, a UK organisation which protects children both online and offline.

Explore one of the six Thinkuknow websites for advice about staying safe when you're on a phone, tablet or computer.

Are you...

- 4-7?
- 8-10?
- 11-13?
- 14+?
- Parent/Carer?
- Children's workforce?

REPORT ABUSE

Advice... Help... Report...

Support - Childline

childline 0800 1111

ONLINE, ON THE PHONE, ANYTIME

Info and advice | Get support

A chance for a young person to talk to a counsellor who

- treats them with respect about any issue
- work at their own pace
- Confidential
- Free

HOW ARE YOU FEELING?

Excellent | Good | Okay | Bad
Horrible | Stressed | Depressed

No caller is traced unless at risk of serious or mortal danger

Online Chat

Many children prefer to talk about their problems online, where they feel more in control.

Monitoring online activity

Best 'Parental Control' software 2020 - PC Mag

Qustodio | kaspersky | NortonLifeLock

Also check your broadband provider for their monitoring/safety platforms

Most platforms / providers have their own safety features...

Apple | Screen Time | Sky Broadband Buddy

Keep an eye on screen time

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